

## Interview Summary

**Application No.**

10/606,043

**Applicant(s)**

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**Examiner**

Kenneth R. Coulter

**Art Unit**

2141

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Kenneth R. Coulter.

(3) \_\_\_\_\_.

(2) Joseph A. Sawyer, Jr. (Reg. No. 30.801).

(4) \_\_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 08 August 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant

2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes

e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 12, 13, 25, 37 and 40.

Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner indicated that amendment of independent claims 1, 13, 25, 37, and 40 to include the language "implemented in hardware" in the preamble would place all claims in condition for allowance. Applicant's representative agreed to an Examiner's amendment. Examiner pointed out a punctuation problem in claim 1 and dependency problem in claim 12. Claim 12 has been amended to be dependent upon claim 1.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

/Kenneth R Coulter/

Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2141

Examiner's signature, if required

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.